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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

BAR-OR et al.

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Examiner mailed April 8, 2005, rejecting Claims 531-576 for a second time. Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$250.00 for the Notice of Appeal fee specified in 37 CFR §1.17(b).

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136, with the appropriate fee, has been filed with the response to the final rejection (mailed September 7, 2005). The petition for extension extended the time for response from July 8, 2005, to September 8, 2005. Accordingly, an additional \$285.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the additional extension fees (one month). Therefore, this Notice of Appeal is believed to be timely and no other fees are believed due. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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